NOTICE OF RECEIPT WATER RIGHT APPLICATION

(Pursuant to Section § 85-2-307(1), MCA)

Summarized below are the application details as described in an Application to Change of Appropriation Water Right received by the Department of Natural Resources & Conservation on MARCH 10, 2022. This notice reflects the application details only as originally submitted. The notice does not reflect changes to the application details made during the review process.

Application Number: 40A 30155099

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER(S) BEING CHANGED

Water Right TypeWater Right NumberPriority DateSTATEMENT OF CLAIM40A-113138MAY 15, 1884

PAST USE OF WATER

STATEMENT OF CLAIM NO. 40A 113138 IS CURRENTLY LISTED WITH A 3 CFS FLOW RATE DIVERTED FROM A FISH CREEK HEADGATE IN THE SWSESW SECTION 27 T6N R15E. THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE IS MAY 15, 1884 WITH A PERIOD OF USE FROM APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 1 TO IRRIGATE 242 ACRES IN SECTIONS 23,25,26 & 27 T6N R15E, ALL IN WHEATLAND COUNTY.

PROPOSED CHANGE

APPLICANT PROPOSES TO CHANGE THE PLACE OF USE FOR STATEMENT OF CLAIM NO. 40A 113138. THE CHANGE WILL ALLOW APPLICANT TO CONVERT THE WATER ASSOCIATED WITH 31 ACRES OF HISTORICAL FLOOD IRRIGATION TO 289 ACRES OF PROPOSED PIVOT IRRIGATION.

In general, the department will make a preliminary determination to grant or deny this application within 120 days of the date the application is deemed correct and complete. That date is currently unknown. If the preliminary determination is to grant the application, the application will be published in the local newspaper and a notice will be sent to appropriators who, according to the department records may be affected by the proposed appropriation. Individuals will have at least 15 days and no more than 60 days (specific deadline will be identified at time of notice) to submit an objection under § 85-2-308, MCA, after the application has been published in the newspaper.

Direct questions regarding this application to the Water Resources Regional Office, 613 NE MAIN, SUITE E, LEWISTOWN, MT 59457-2020 PHONE: 406-538-7459